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Via Electronic Filing  
Ms. Marlene H. Dortch  
Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, SW, Room TWB-204  
Washington, DC 20554

Re: In the Matter of Review of Section 251 Unbundling Obligations of Incumbent Local Exchange Carriers and Implementation of the Local Competition Provisions in the Local Telecommunications Act of 1996; CC Docket Nos. 01-338, 96-98, 98-147

In the Matter of Appropriate Framework for Broadband Access to the Internet Over Wireline Facilities, CC Docket Nos. 02-33, 95-20, 98-10

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Yesterday, in a conversation with Dan Gonzalez, Senior Legal Advisor to Commissioner Kevin J. Martin, I discussed matters related to the referenced proceedings. In particular, I emphasized that the record in the Triennial Review proceeding demonstrates continuing operational and economic impairments concerning UNEs, as set forth in AT&T's written submissions. In addition, I underscored the importance of preserving CLEC access to ILEC loop facilities, and identified operational and cost barriers to competition that would result if CLECs were relegated to copper facilities as ILECs introduce additional fiber into existing loop plant. My comments were consistent with AT&T's written submissions in the reference proceedings.

One electronic copy of this Notice is being submitted for the referenced proceedings in accordance with the Commission's rules.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "LJ Cali".

cc: D. Gonzalez